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EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: CI, PINS, SHUM

SUBJECT: POSSIBLE CHURCH/GOC CLASH ON HUMAN RIGHTS

REF: SANTIAGO 3443

1. WASHINGTON POST CORRESPONDENT JOANNE OMANG VISITED ME
MAY 23. SHE HAD OBTAINED FAIRLY COMPLETE STORY RE ZAMORA CASE.

2. DURING OFF-THE-RECORD INTERVIEW OMANG SAID SHE HAD HEARD
I WAS INVOLVED IN CASE. I TOLD HER THAT IN RESPONSE TO AN
URGENT APPEAL FROM A MEMBER OF THE PEACE COMMITTEE, I HAD
MENTIONED MATTER ON A PERSONAL AND HUMANITARIAN BASIS TO A
MEMBER OF THE JUNTA WHO HAD BEEN IN MY RESIDENCE AT MOMENT,
POINTING OUT ADVERSE PUBLICITY WOULD ALSO BE HARMFUL IN
CONTEXT OF OASGA MEETING THEN UNDER WAY. SUGGESTED TO OMANG
NO USEFUL PURPOSE WOULD BE SERVED BY PUBLICITY RE MY
LIMITED INVOLVEMENT IN THIS CASE.

3. FULL DETAILS THIS MATTER HAVE BEEN POUCHED TO ARA/BC
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